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NEWSLETTER 22

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Monday 15th March

It has been an incredible first week back with everyone in school! A running theme that staff have commented on is how wonderful it is to see the children running around outside and playing together.

We are so glad they have settled back into school so well!

- From Monday 15th March, Hedgehog and Squirrel parents will be able to collect their children at **3.10pm** from their designated gates.
- Friday 19th March is Comic Relief Day. Children can dress up as a superhero (they can even make one up!). Please ensure you donate to the Just Giving page as we are unable to accept cash.

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/easthoathlyceschool?utm_source=Sharethis&utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=easthoathlyceschool&utm_campaign=pfpe-mail&utm_term=3075bc6a5c9c45a7b4054072a95649ae

- Please ensure that the children have brought their Red Nose Day designs in by Wednesday 17th for a chance to win a prize!
- If your child wishes to sign up for the Talent Competition, please make sure they do so by Wednesday 17th March.

As always thank you for your support and your willingness to adapt so quickly to the changes that are made.

Class Emails

Please note, staff will no longer be replying to the class email addresses.

If you need to get in touch with your child's teacher, please email or ring the school office.

Travel to Malawi

As you know, we are completing the federation wide challenge of virtually travelling to Malawi. As we have not yet reached our target, we have extended the deadline to the end of term 4! So keep it up!

So far, our federation's children, parents and staff have run, walked, skipped, jogged and biked a **total of 5,045 miles out of our 6,555 mile target**. We're so close!

Please keep sending in your miles to **traveltomala-wi@pioneerfederation.co.uk** —every mile counts! Please send in photos of your walk too—we would love to feature them in the newsletter!



Keep up the great work, Pioneer!

Clubs

Homework Club will be resuming from Tuesday 16th March.

Please note, your child will not be able to attend a club unless they have returned a slip to the office. There is a maximum limit of 15 children per club, please return your slip asap to avoid disappointment.

We are unable to accept children on an ad-hoc basis and will ask for children to be collected.

Anti-Bullying Policy

Our Pupil Governors met with Miss Lewis this week to talk through the child friendly anti-bullying policy. With Miss Lewis, Abbie, Oscar, Aaron, Myla, Molly and Ralph discussed what the anti-bullying policy means and suggested great changes to it, such as adding the Childline number!

If you are bullied:-

DO:-

- Ask them to STOP if you can.
- Use eye contact and tell them to go away.
- Ignore them.
- Walk away.
- Talk to a friend.
- Try and look after yourself.
- **TELL SOMEONE.**



DON'T:-

- Do what they say.
- Get angry or look upset.
- Hit them.
- Think it's your fault.
- Hide it.



What should I do if I see someone else is being bullied?

- Tell an adult straight away.
- Don't try and get involved – you might end up getting hurt or you could end up in trouble yourself.
- Don't stay silent or the bullying will keep happening

The Head of School, the Governors and the staff will work together to:-

- Make our school a place where everyone can feel safe and happy. That means no bullying allowed.
- We will help everyone to get on with each other and we believe that everyone has the right to be who they are.

What will happen to a bully?

Teachers will get involved and help you solve problems. Bullies will be sanctioned alongside the school behaviour policy.

Stand up to bullying!

East Hoathly Primary School and Nursery



Child Friendly Anti-Bullying Policy



What is Bullying?

A bully is someone who hurts someone else by using behaviour which is meant to hurt, frighten or upset another person. This behaviour is repeated frequently.



Bullying can be.....

Emotional: being intentionally unfriendly, excluding, tormenting looks, spreading rumours.

Physical: hitting, kicking, taking or hiding belongings

Verbal: name calling, teasing, insulting, over speaking, writing or sending unkind notes or messages, including racism

Online: email and internet chat room misuse, mobile phone threats by text, calls, social websites.

When is it Bullying?

Several

Times

On

Purpose

We promise to always take bullying seriously.



Who can I tell?

A Friend

Parents/Carers

Teachers

School Buddies

Lunch time Staff

Reverend Phil

Any Other Adult

Childline 0800 1111

MOST IMPORTANTLY:-

If you are being bullied:

Start Telling Other People!

Mother's Day

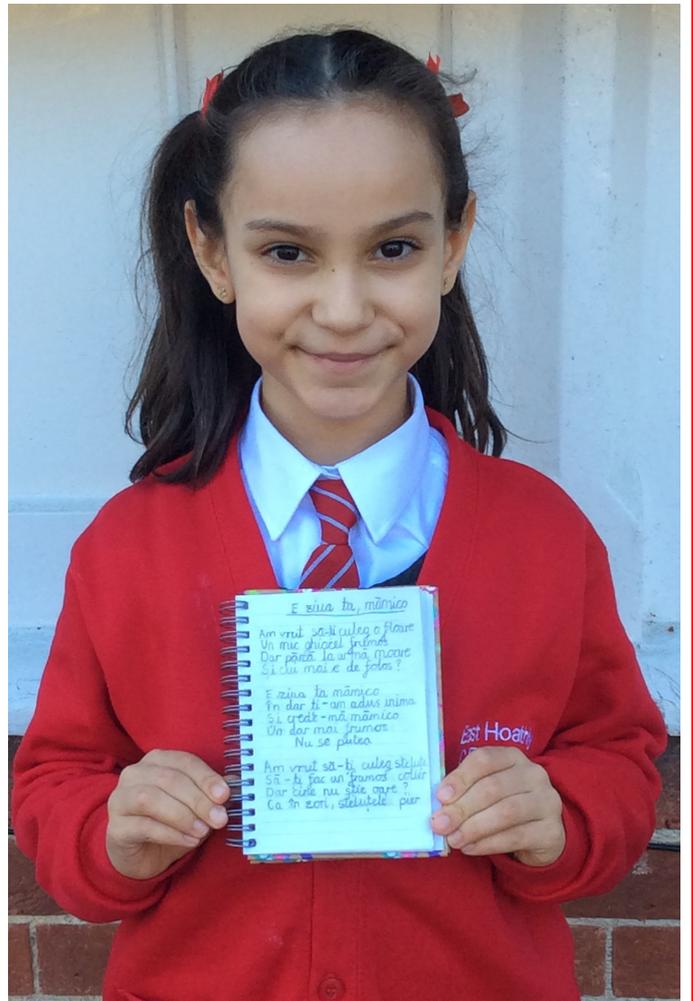
Sara from Fox Class showed us a Romanian song she wrote to celebrate Mother's Day with her Mum. Sara then explained to us that in Romania on Mother's Day, the children make a song or a poem for their mothers and that she had to teach her little sister the song!

Sara told us that once translated, her song says:

*I wanted to pick a flower,
A beautiful, little snowdrop,
But after a few days, it'll die,
And who is it useful for?*

*It is Mother's Day, Mummy,
I give you my heart as a present,
And trust me, Mummy,
A better present couldn't exist.*

*I wanted to collect some stars
To make you a lovely necklace
But who doesn't know that,
In the day, the stars won't be seen.*



Lunchtime Awards

The Diners of the Week will now be awarded to one child from each bubble rather than each class.

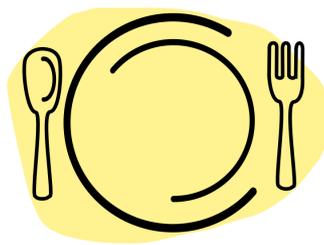
Hedgehog and Owl Bubble

Harry Palmer

Squirrel and Fox Bubble

Lily Sanford

Well done!



Pen Licences

Pen licences have not been awarded this week, but there are some children VERY close to getting them.

Keep trying!



Headteacher Awards

This week, Headteacher's awards have been awarded to:

Lorenzo Bunn for wonderful writing about the Rainforest during Literacy!

Jack Capaldi for using his growth mindset when solving a tricky maths problem in class!

Well done Lorenzo and Jack!



Learning Powers

This week, the Learning Powers certificates go to...

Hedgehogs

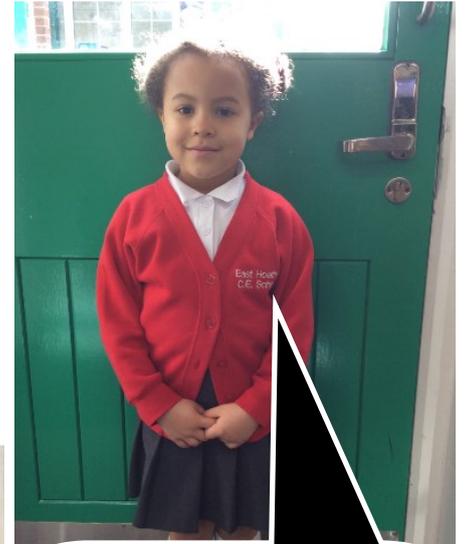
This week, Harry has shown the value of...



I have shown love by drawing with my friends!

Squirrels

This week, Sophie has shown the value of...



I showed wisdom in maths by working hard on my learning about graphs and pictographs!

Foxes

This week, Kitty has shown the value of...



I have used the 6Bs to help me in my maths work!

Owls

This week, Austyn has shown the value of...



I am really proud of my reading. I had read lots and have got really far reading 'The Suitcase Kid'. I am really enjoying it!

Which of our schools values are you going to show next week?



Celebration Assembly

We enjoyed the welcome return of the live celebration worship on Friday! We celebrated our new learning powers certificates and heard how the children were showing their Values Learning Powers of Love, Strength, Wisdom and Truth to be fantastic learners. We also had the return of diners of the week! Well done to Harry and Lily who were celebrated this week! We also had 2 Headteacher's Awards to share - Lorenzo and Jack have worked so hard this week and were pleased to tell us all about their learning.

This week, we also talked about Comic Relief which is happening next Friday, our new Anti-Bullying Policy, the March Reading Challenge and we also said goodbye to Mrs Healy. The classes have all made her HUUUUUGE cards to wish her luck with her new baby and Owls class even created a book of advice for a new mum!

We finished our worship with our school prayer and felt very thankful that we are all back together in school.

Father God,

Open our hearts to show love and respect for the school community and the world.

We will show a helping hand for others in our work, play and all that we do.

Help and encourage us to persevere and be brave in all our learning so we always do our best.

Thank you for giving us the wisdom to be creative and always make wise choices.

We will follow your example to be honest and positive thinkers in all that we do.

Amen



Nursery

This week, Miss Lewis and Jack the (puppet!) Dog began to talk to the Nursery children about saying 'Sorry'. We heard a story about a boy who was rude to his Daddy and had to say 'Sorry' to him. We practiced saying 'Sorry' to each other and then talked about what it means to forgive someone who says 'Sorry'. We know that when someone says sorry, we can tell them 'don't worry, everything will be ok!'



Dates for your diary 2020/2021

Mar 2021

- 12th—Science Day
- 22nd—FGB Meeting
- 24th—Lockdown practice

Apr 2021

- 1st—Easter Service—9.25am
- 1st—End of Term 4
- 19th—First day of Term 5
- 27th—Parent Forum—2.45pm

May 2021

- 3rd—Bank Holiday
- 11th—FGB Meeting
- 21st—Sports Day and Picnic
- 26th—Pioneer Day
- 28th—End of Term 5

Jun 2021

- 7th—First day of Term 6
- 30th—Parent Forum

Jul 2021

- 6th—Results Day
- 6th—Summer production dress rehearsal
- 8th—Summer production—2pm
- 8th—Summer production—6.30pm
- 30th—Parent Forum

Jul 2021

- 2nd—Owls Patina
- 12th—Residential
- 13th—Residential
- 14th—Residential
- 14th—FGB Meeting
- 16th—Reports out to parents
- 17th—Groundforce
- 20th—Parent Consultations—reports only
- 22nd—Leavers' Service—9.25am
- 22nd—End of Term 6
- 23rd—INSET Day

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